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In response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed March 4, 2004, the undersigned hereby requests that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn.

Attached hereto are the following items:

- (1) A copy of the docket record for the instant application. No entry for the Office Action mailed June 4, 2003 was entered. However, please note that a Status Inquiry was filed on October 29, 2003 (see attached copy of date-stamped receipt card). Accordingly, another entry was made for a further status inquiry to be filed on June 29, 2004.
- (2) A copy of the application file jacket which shows only entries for the December 19, 2002 Office Action and the Response filed on March 18, 2003.
- (3) A copy of the September 4, 2003 page (the three month due date) from the docket book of the undersigned's assistant.

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In view of the above listed items attached hereto, it is respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn and that the June 4, 2003 Office Action be re-mailed to the undersigned so that prosecution of the instant application can continue.

Respectfully submitted,

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